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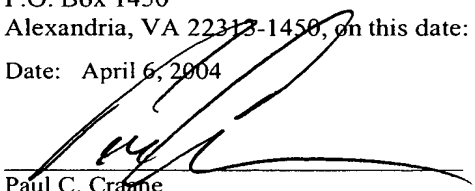
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Tessmer et al.
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FOR PROVIDING AN
ADVANTAGE TO A PLAYER
IN A BONUS GAME
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Three Months		\$ 950		\$475
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Respectfully submitted,

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